# UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA Richmond Division

In re:	)	Chapter 11
	)	
EXCEL Staffing Services, Inc.,	)	Case No. 08-35528-DOT
	)	
Debtor.	)	

# NOTICE OF (A) FILING OF MOTION TO DISMISS BANKRUPTCY CASE AND (B) HEARING ON MOTION

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the above captioned debtor filed with the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Eastern District of Virginia, Richmond Division (the "Court") a Motion To Dismiss Bankruptcy Case (the "Motion"). A copy of the Motion is being served upon you simultaneously herewith.

Your rights may be affected. You should read these papers carefully and discuss them with your attorney, if you have one in this bankruptcy case. (If you do not have an attorney, you may wish to consult one). Under Local Bankruptcy Rule 9013-1, unless a written response to the Motion is filed with the Clerk of Court and served on the moving party on or before July 25, 2011, the Court may deem any opposition waived, treat the Motion as conceded, and issue an order granting the relief requested.

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that, on July 27, 2011 at 12:00 p.m., (or such time thereafter as the matter may be heard) the undersigned will appear before The Honorable Douglas O. Tice Jr., United States Bankruptcy Judge, in Room 5100, United States Courthouse, 701 East Broad Street, Richmond, Virginia 23219, will move the Court for entry of an order approving the Motion.

If you do not want the Court to grant the relief sought in the Motion, or if you want the Court to consider your views on the Motion, then **on or before July 25, 2011** you or your attorney must:

File with the Court, at the address shown below, a written response with supporting memorandum pursuant to Local Bankruptcy Rule 9013-1. You must

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Clerk of Court United States Bankruptcy Court 701 East Broad Street, Room 4300 Richmond, Virginia 23219

You must also serve a copy on:

Paula S. Beran Tavenner & Beran, PLC 20 North Eighth Street, Second Floor Richmond, Virginia 23219

If you or your attorney do not take these steps, the Court may deem any opposition waived, treat the Motion as conceded, and issue an order granting the requested relief without further notice or hearing.

EXCEL STAFFING SERVICES, INC.

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# **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that on the 8<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2011, a true and correct copy of the Notice Of (A) Filing Of Motion To Dismiss Bankruptcy Case And (B) Hearing On Motion was served via first class mail postage prepaid and/or electronic delivery to all parties in interest as listed on the attached service list.

/s/ Paula S. Beran Counsel Case 08-35528-DOT Doc 125 Filed 07/08/11 Entered 07/08/11 15:33:55 Desc Main Document Page 4 of 13

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# DEBTOR'S MOTION TO DISMISS BANKRUPTCY CASE AND MEMORANDUM OF LAW IN SUPPORT THEREOF

The above-captioned debtor and debtor-in-possession (the "Debtor" and/or the "EXCEL"), by counsel, hereby moves the Court for the entry of an order dismissing this bankruptcy case. In support of this Motion, the Debtor represents the following to the Court:

#### **Facts**

- 1. EXCEL Staffing Services, Inc., is a Virginia Corporation, located at 200 East Cary Street, Richmond, Virginia 23219. The Debtor's stock is owned 100% by Ms. Billie D. Brown ("Ms. Brown"), President of EXCEL. Ms. Brown is also responsible for the day to day management of the Debtor.
- 2. EXCEL is a temporary staffing and brokerage agency servicing the Northeastern Region of the United States. EXCEL is certified as a WMBE through the Virginia Regional Minority Diversity Council, the Virginia Department of Minority Business Enterprise and the City of Richmond. EXCEL is also certified by the Small Business Administration as a socially and economically disadvantage small business under the 8(a) program.

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- 3. On or about November 3, 2008 (the "Petition Date"), the Debtor commenced its case (the "Bankruptcy Case"), with the assistance of prior counsel ("Prior Counsel"), by filing a voluntary petition for relief under Chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code, 11 U.S. C. §§ 101, et. seq. (the "Bankruptcy Code").
- 4. At a point in time, the Debtor became concerned about the legal representation it was receiving from Prior Counsel and decided to obtain retain replacement counsel.
- 5. In November, 2009, because of its experience and expertise, the Debtor consulted with Tavenner & Beran, PLC ("Tavenner & Beran") about a potential engagement and the most efficient and prudent means to complete its bankruptcy case. Thereafter, this Court approved the employment of Tavenner & Beran to replace Prior Counsel.
- 6. The primary reason for the Debtor's Bankruptcy Case was a dispute (and the impact of the same) with the Virginia Employment Commission (the "VEC").
- 7. The dispute with the VEC has been resolved. Accordingly, the Debtor believes it is in the best interest of it's estate to dismiss the Bankruptcy Case. The Office of the United States Trustee does not object to the same.

#### **Legal Argument**

8. Pursuant to § 1112 of the Bankruptcy Code, this Court may dismiss this Bankruptcy Case, after notice and a hearing, for cause provided dismissal is in the best interest of creditors and the estate. In this instance, it is in all parties' best interest that the case be dismissed. The Debtor has reached a settlement with VEC. Creditors and other parties in interest have notice of this Motion and, specifically, the Debtor's intent to dismiss its Bankruptcy Case.

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- 9. Generally, Bankruptcy Rule 2002 requires that a minimum of twenty-one (21) days notice of a hearing on motions to dismiss. Fed. R. Bankr. P. 2002(a)(4). Pursuant to Bankruptcy Rule 9006, the Court, for cause, may reduce said notice period. The Debtor submits that cause exists (if necessary) to shorten the notice period because in essence this dismissal is being prosecuted as part of an agreement with the Debtor's major creditor, and no other creditors have participated in a significant fashion to date in this Bankruptcy Case.
- 10. Based upon the foregoing, the Debtor respectfully submits that ample cause exists (if necessary) to shorten the 21-day notice period set forth in Bankruptcy Rule 2002(a)(4) thereby allowing the Court to hear this Motion on the scheduled date of July 27, 2011.

WHEREFORE, the Debtor respectfully requests that the Court dismiss the Bankruptcy Case by entering the order attached hereto as Exhibit A.

EXCEL STAFFING SERVICES, INC.

By: /s/ Paula S. Beran
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# **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that on July 8, 2011, a true copy of the foregoing Debtor's Motion To Dismiss Bankruptcy Case And Memorandum Of Law In Support Thereof was mailed, first class postage prepaid, and/or electronically to all parties in interest as listed on the attached Service List.

/s/ Paula S. Beran Counsel

### EXHIBIT A

# UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA Richmond Division

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#### ORDER DISMISSING BANKRUPTCY CASE

This matter came before the Court upon Debtor's Motion To Dismiss Bankruptcy
Case And Memorandum Of Law In Support Thereof, (the "Motion"); and it appearing to
the Court that (i) no objections to the Motion have been filed; (ii) the Debtor and the
Office of the United States Trustee consent to the dismissal relief requested in the
Motion; and (iii) it is in the best interest to dismiss the Debtor's bankruptcy case, it is
hereby ORDERED that:

- 1. The Motion is hereby GRANTED;
- 2. Capital terms not otherwise defined herein shall have the meaning prescribed in the Motion.
  - 3. The Bankruptcy Case of Excel Staffing Services, Inc. is hereby dismissed; and
- 4. The 21-day notice period set forth in Bankruptcy Rule 2002 (a)(4) is hereby reduced allowing the Motion to be heard on July 27, 2011.

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5. The Clerk is directed to send	a copy of this Order upon entry to all parties listed
on the Service List attached hereto.	
Entered:	CHIEF UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY JUDGE
I ask for this:	
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Seen and No Objection:	
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Assistant United States Trustee	
	Al Rule 9022-1, the foregoing proposed Order d on or endorsed by all necessary parties.
	Counsel

# **Service List for Entered Order**

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